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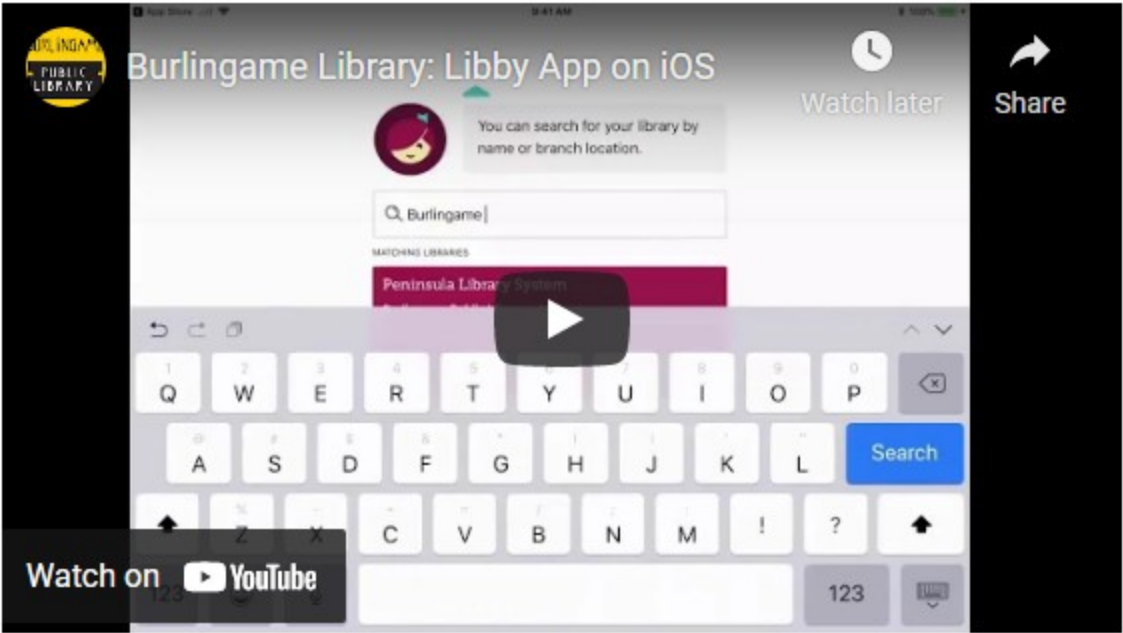
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## Online Resources for Reading at Home With Kids in Kindergarten-2nd Grade



Here are some excellent online resources for reading at home with kids in Kindergarten-2nd grade, featuring children's literature, authors, and eBooks and audiobooks that you can access from your computer or device.

### Books and Authors

**100+ Free Video Read Alouds:** High quality picture book video read alouds collected by The Indianapolis Public Library.

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**KidLit TV:** KidLit TV is the place to discover great children's books and connect with the people who create them. Includes video read alouds, podcasts, book trailers, drawing tutorials, crafts and activities.

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### eBooks and Audiobooks

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**International Children's Digital Library:** A digital library of outstanding children's books from around the world, available online free of charge.

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**Oxford Owl:** Free eBook library containing over 100 books for children ages 3–11.

**Sora:** Sora is Overdrive's app designed for K-12 schools. Denver Public Schools (DPS) and Denver Public Library (DPL) have turned on the [Sora Public Library Connect feature](#) that allows students to access the DPL Overdrive collection from their DPS Overdrive account. One login now gives students access to two eBook collections! Our DPS library friends have created [this great video](#) about how to link accounts in Sora. Happy eBook reading!

**Tumblebooks:** eBook database for children Kindergarten-6th grade.

**Unite for Literacy:** Unite online library provides free access to more than 400 original picture books, one fourth of them written in Spanish. The digital books provide audio narrations in more than 40 languages, spoken by native speakers in warm, expressive voices. The languages of narration include indigenous and endangered languages along with languages most widely spoken in the US.

### ASL Storytimes, Books and Resources

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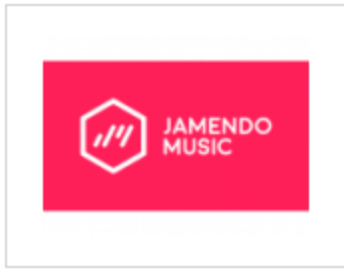




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